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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.121)

Dear Sir:

For the above-named U.S. patent application, Applicants submit this Response to a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed October 30, 2008.

Applicant's Response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment includes the following:

Amendments to the Specification that begin on page 2;

Amendments to the Claims reflected in the Listing of Claims that begin on page 9;

Remarks that begin on page 15; and

Conclusion that begins on page 20 of this paper.